



## Trash Collection Large Bulky Item Pickup Recycling Services Hazardous Waste Collection

The City of Manistee offers both recycling opportunities and disposal of household hazardous waste in addition to regular trash collection. These programs keep valuable (recycling) and dangerous (household hazardous waste) items out of the landfill and are beneficial for the environment and protective of public health.

### Trash Collection

Trash collection in the City of Manistee is a public / private partnership. The city has an exclusive contract with Allied Waste to provide the garbage pick-up and disposal while the city does the monthly billing and handles changes to your service. Trash service is funded by a \$1.15 million property tax levy and a monthly user charge. Every residential unit that has water service is also required to have trash service. Trash is collected Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, depending on which section of the city you live in.

Monday: North of the river

Wednesday: South of the River, east of Maple and north of Fifth Street and south of Fifth Street, east of Maple and west of U.S. 31

Thursday: South of the River and west of Maple

Friday: South of Fifth Street and East of U.S. 31

If you want to start, stop or change trash service, please contact the city at (231) 723-2559. If you have a problem with existing trash service, such as items not being picked up, please contact Allied Waste at (231) 723-4850.

Monthly trash rates are as follows:

Residential:

1-2 bags per week \$3.85 per month

4-6 bags per week \$7.70 per month

Tote \$11.55 per month

These charges are in addition to the annual refuse property tax that is paid

Commercial: Call the city for details at (231) 723-2559



## Bulky Item Garbage Pickup

City residents are able to place one bulky item out for pickup on the first collection of each month. These items need to be placed by 7am on the City Trash collection day for your area of residence.

### Acceptable Items for Large Item Pickup

**General Guidelines:** Furniture items should not exceed 6 ft. in length.

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Barbecue Grills</li><li>• Bed Frames / Metal</li><li>• Bike Parts</li><li>• Bird Cages – Metal</li><li>• Blinds</li><li>• Box Springs</li><li>• Cabinets</li><li>• Carpet (cut, rolled into 3' diameter x 6' length; dry; and weighing 40 lbs. max.)</li><li>• Chairs</li><li>• Computers</li><li>• Coolers</li><li>• Copiers / Scanners</li><li>• Couch (sectional couch is priced per piece)</li><li>• Cribs</li><li>• Desks</li><li>• Dishwashers</li><li>• Doors</li><li>• Dressers</li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Dryers</li><li>• Electronic Equipment</li><li>• Fences - Metal (cut, bundle into 3 ft. pieces)</li><li>• File Cabinets - Metal</li><li>• Garage Doors - Call (989) 779-5401 for Information</li><li>• Glass Windows - In Frame</li><li>• Heaters</li><li>• Headboards</li><li>• Humidifiers</li><li>• Ladders</li><li>• Lamps</li><li>• Pipes - Metal (cut, bundle into 3 ft. pieces)</li><li>• Laptops</li><li>• Mattresses – Queen / King</li><li>• Mattresses – Single / Double</li><li>• Microwaves</li><li>• Monitors</li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Ovens</li><li>• Patio Furniture</li><li>• Scrap Metal</li><li>• Pool Heaters</li><li>• Portable Basketball Hoops</li><li>• Printer / Fax Machines</li><li>• Rain Gutters (cut, bundle into 3 ft. pieces)</li><li>• Shelves</li><li>• Shower Doors</li><li>• Sinks</li><li>• Stereos / Radios</li><li>• Stoves</li><li>• Telephones / Cell Phones</li><li>• Televisions - Any Size</li><li>• Toilets</li><li>• Trash Compactors</li><li>• VCR / DVD Players</li><li>• Washing Machines</li><li>• Other Similar Items as Listed Above</li></ul> |
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### Items That Will Not Be Collected

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Any Materials Resulting from Work Performed by a Commercial Contractor</li><li>• Automobile Parts - Motors, Tires on Rims, Doors, Fenders, Seats, Batteries, Bumpers</li><li>• Bricks</li><li>• Central Air Conditioning / Heating Units</li><li>• Ceramic Tile</li><li>• Chain Link Fencing</li><li>• Cinderblocks</li><li>• Concrete</li><li>• Dehumidifiers</li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Dirt</li><li>• Duct or Sheet Metal Materials</li><li>• Fence Posts with Concrete Attached</li><li>• Fire-Damaged Items</li><li>• Floor Coverings (except carpet/padding installed or removed by homeowner)</li><li>• Freezers</li><li>• Grocery Carts</li><li>• Hot Tubs / Spa Tubs</li><li>• Marble or Simulated Marble Countertops</li><li>• Nails or Boards with Protruding Nails</li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Paint and Other Hazardous Waste</li><li>• Plaster</li><li>• Propane / Oxygen tanks</li><li>• Railroad Ties</li><li>• Refrigerators</li><li>• Rocks</li><li>• Roofing Materials, Shingles</li><li>• Sand</li><li>• Sheetrock</li><li>• Yard Waste</li></ul> |
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## Recycling

The city, through its prime contractor, Allied Waste, offers residents two ways to recycle.

The first option is to take recyclables to the city recycling center, located at 350 N. Glocheski Drive. There is no direct charge for this service.

The second option is to pay a monthly \$4 fee to have curbside recycling. Curbside service is twice a month on the first and third Thursday. If you want to start or stop recycling service, please contact the city at (231) 723-2559.





## Recycling Information



PAPER	METAL	PLASTIC
<u>Acceptable Items</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Newspapers (including glossy inserts)</li> <li>Typing, writing and computer paper</li> <li>Discarded mail fliers</li> <li>Magazines and catalogues</li> <li>Brown paper bags</li> <li>Corrugated boxes</li> <li>Paperboard Boxes (shoe &amp; cereal boxes)</li> <li>Telephone books</li> </ul> <u>Non-Acceptable Items</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Wrapping or tissue paper</li> <li>Napkins, tissues, paper towels, or wax paper</li> <li>Used paper plates or any paper with food or food stains</li> <li>Paperboard boxes with plastic windows</li> <li>Wax coated or freezer boxes</li> </ul>	<u>Acceptable Items</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Steel and tin cans</li> <li>Aerosol cans</li> <li>Aluminum Foil and Cans</li> </ul> <u>Non-Acceptable Items</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Bake ware and utensils</li> <li>Pots &amp; Pans</li> <li>Hangers</li> <li>Car parts or scrap metal</li> <li>Paint cans and propane Cylinders</li> <li>Foil backed paper, gum wrappers</li> <li>Siding, window frames and doors</li> </ul>	<u>Acceptable Items</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Plastic container with the #1-7 symbols</li> <li>Plastic Grocery bags with the #2 and #4 symbols</li> <li>This includes milk jugs, water bottles, detergent and shampoo bottles, butter tubs, plastic yogurt cups, microwave food trays, plan flats, flower pots, etc.</li> </ul> <u>Non-Acceptable Items</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Bottles that contain automotive fluids or hazardous materials</li> <li>Styrofoam cups, plates, peanuts, packaging, etc.</li> <li>Plastic bags such as, garbage, food storage, dry-cleaning, etc.</li> <li>Plastic Film</li> </ul> <p><b>When in doubt....</b>  <b>Throw it out!!!</b>          If you have a questions about an item not listed on this page, call our customer service center at 1-877-MY-TRASH</p>
	<b>GLASS</b>	
	<u>Acceptable Items</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Clean glass bottles and jars</li> </ul> <u>Non-Acceptable Items</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Dishes or ceramic</li> <li>Light bulbs</li> <li>Broken windows</li> <li>Mirrors</li> </ul>	

If you have a problem with existing recycling service, please contact Allied Waste at (231) 723-4850.

### Hazardous Waste Disposal

The city provides two options for hazardous waste disposal. Please do not dispose of hazardous waste in your garbage, drain or storm sewer. This is very harmful to the environment. The first option is the city household hazardous waste collection held in the spring.

Items can be dropped off at the City Garage and must be in the original containers with the label attached. Call the City Garage for dates at (231)723-7132.



### ITEMS ACCEPTED

Adhesives  
Artist Paint  
Automobile Solvents  
Car Batteries  
Car Wax  
Caustic Cleaners  
Chlorine  
Drain Openers  
Dry Cleaning Solvents  
Fiberglass Epoxy  
Floor Wax  
Fuel Additives  
Gun Cleaning Solvents  
Lighter Fluids  
Mineral Spirits  
Mothballs  
Nail Polish Remover  
Oven Cleaners  
Latex and Oil Base-Paint and Primer  
Pool Cleaners  
Rust Removers  
Turpentine  
Varnish  
Wood Stain

### ITEMS NOT ACCEPTED

Asbestos  
Fungicides  
Herbicides  
Pesticides  
Rodenticides  
Medical Waste  
Motor Oil

### Clean Sweep

The city also partners with many neighboring communities to provide a Household Hazardous Waste Clean Sweep Collection Day. A wider variety of items is accepted at this collection. This is coordinated by the Manistee Conservation District. For details and dates call 231.889.4761

**Collection Site:**  
**Manistee Road Commission**  
8946 Chippewa Highway  
(US-31 & 9 Mile Road)  
Bear Lake, MI



**Michigan Water**  
Stewardship Program



**Manistee Conservation District**  
8840 Chippewa Highway  
Bear Lake, MI 49614  
231-889-9666  
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